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In the Claims

1 (currently amended). A method for treating lipomas or controlling lipomas or reducing swelling or inflammation associated with lipomas ~~a disease, disorder, benign tumor, malignant tumor, malignant cancer, or malignant neoplasia~~ in an individual comprising the administration of a of an effective amount of a composition comprising an anti-convulsant agent selected from topiramate or pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to said individual, wherein said effective amount is sufficient to reduce or eliminate ~~the disease or disorder associated swelling~~ treat a lipoma, control a lipoma or reduce swelling or inflammation associated with lipomas.

2 (currently amended). The method according to claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises one or more additional therapeutic agent ~~for the treatment of a disease, disorder, benign tumor, malignant tumor, malignant cancer, or malignant neoplasias~~.

3-4 (canceled).

5 (original). The method according to claim 2, wherein said additional therapeutic agent is selected from the group consisting of alkylating agents, antimetabolite chemotherapeutic agents, vinca alkaloids, antibiotic chemotherapeutic agents, enzymatic chemotherapeutic agents, platinum coordination complexes, substituted ureas, adrenocortical suppressants, hormone and hormone antagonists, antiestrogens, androgens, aromatase inhibitors, anti-fungal agents, anti-viral agents, or antibiotics.

6 (original). The method according to claim 1, wherein said anti-convulsant is topiramate.

7 (canceled).

8. (new). The method according to claim 1, wherein said anticonvulsant is a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of topiramate.

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